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Dear Richard,

It will hardly come as a surprise to you to learn that I am interested in buying some of your half cents.

In fact, if there are enough coins of interest, I would be happy to make you an offer for the whole collection. However, for that offer, of course, the collection would have to be intact, before coins had been sold out of it.

And why are you interested in selling your half-cents, anyway? Shame on you! Remember the

quote from Omar Khayyam:

I wonder what the vintner
buys, that is half so
precious as what he sells.

Hope 1983 is a happy and
prosperous year for you,

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